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Visiting the USSR

1. Rostov Airframe Plant No. 168 is an important helicopter production center in the USSR and is currently believed in series production of the Hare (MI-3) helicopter. The plant is located in the northern suburbs of Rostov, approximately two nautical miles north of the Don River. Rostov North Airfield is immediately adjacent to the northeastern boundary of the plant.

2. Suggested questions concerning Plant No. 168:

a. Aircraft

1. Number and type of helicopter or aircraft observed in the plant area or on the adjacent factory airfield.

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2. [REDACTED]

b. Physical Plant

1. Dimensions and general layout of major buildings with particular reference to high bay areas.

2. Location and description of any new construction.

3. General activity level in and around the plant area.

4. Photographs of the plant would be of great value.

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Distribution:

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